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0600Dm--Fish--Baseline Commercial Oyster Beds 2010  
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\*\*\*\*DATA SOURCE\*\*\*\*

Data were compiled from surveys conducted in the Gulf of Mexico.

\*\*\*\*DATA COLLECTION PURPOSE\*\*\*\*

Natural Resource Damage Assessment

\*\*\*\*DATA USE QUALIFICATION\*\*\*\*

These data are from samples collected during the Fish - Baseline Commercial Oyster Beds study in 2010.

Values for concentration and detection limit should be interpreted to 3 significant figures. Values for reporting limits should be interpreted to 1 significant figure.

\*\*\*\*STUDY\*\*\*\*

The data include water chemistry data.

\*\*\*\*STATION\*\*\*\*

StationID locations are reported as in the NOAA Field Sampling Database (NAD 83).

\*\*\*\*SAMPLES AND REPLICATES\*\*\*\*

The collection depth of water samples in the fields UDepth and LDepth are reported in meters.

The original SampleIDs reported by the lab from the Chain-of-Custody is stored in the ExSampleID field in the SmpWat.dbf table. The original SampleID reported by field staff is stored in FldSampleID in the SmpWat.dbf table.

The default labrep code "1A" was used for all data. Lab duplicates (second analysis of same sample for same analytical method) were assigned labrep "2A".

TDI Brooks Methods:

B&B SOP1016 - Aliphatic Hydrocarbon Determination by Gas Chromatography/Flame Ionization Detection (Abbreviated 8015 B&B SOP1016 GC/FID)

B&B SOP1006 - Aromatic Hydrocarbon Determination by Selected Ion Monitoring Gas Chromatography/Mass (Abbreviated 8270 M B&B SOP1006 GC/MS )

\*\*\*\*SUMMED PARAMETERS\*\*\*\*

No sums were calculated.

\*\*\*\*QUALIFIERS\*\*\*\*

Qualifiers recorded in the chemistry files represent the final data qualifiers provided by the data validation. If no validation was completed (LSU lab data), the qualifiers are those assigned by the lab. Descriptions of the data qualifiers are included in the data dictionary.

"F" (found) qualifiers were added by the data validators, where the lab reported concentration was below the method detection limit (see DL field).